

Friends Meeting House
Bordentown, Burlington County, New Jersey

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Historic American Buildings Survey
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Friends Meeting House
Bordentown, Burlington County, New Jersey

Owner: Bordentown National Bank

Date of Erection: 1740

Architect:

Builder:

Present Condition: Good

Number of Stories: One with gallery on three sides

Materials of Construction: Foundation - stone

Exterior walls - brick
stuccoed

Interior walls - plaster

Inside brick chimneys

Roof - pitch

Historical Data:

The land upon which this meeting house was built was deeded to the Quakers by Thomas Borden. It occupies a site a few feet from its original location. It was the first house of worship in Bordentown, and was an offspring of the Crosswick's group established in 1688. It is no longer used for services.

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